

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON
AT SEATTLE

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Plaintiff,

CASE NO. CR15-120-JCC

V.

DETENTION ORDER

KENNETH W. THOMAS,

Defendant.

Offense charged: Conspiracy to Distribute Controlled Substances; Asset Forfeiture

Date of Detention Hearing: May 4, 2015.

16 The Court, having conducted a detention hearing pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 3142(f), and
17 based upon the factual findings and statement of reasons for detention hereafter set forth, finds
18 that no condition or combination of conditions which defendant can meet will reasonably assure
19 the appearance of defendant as required and the safety of other persons and the community.

FINDINGS OF FACT AND STATEMENT OF REASONS FOR DETENTION

21 1. Defendant has been charged with a drug offense, the maximum penalty of which
22 is in excess of ten years. There is therefore a rebuttable presumption against defendant as to both
23 dangerousness and flight risk, under 18 U.S.C. § 3142(e).

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1 2. Defendant's criminal record includes a numbers of failures to appear, drug
2 offenses, and an attempt to elude conviction. He is associated with three social security
3 numbers. The AUSA proffers that distribution quantities of PCP were found at defendant's
4 residence during the execution of a search warrant. Defendant has a lengthy substance abuse
5 history. Defense counsel advises that he is in the process of completing an application for
6 defendant to be re-admitted into the Seadrunar Recovery inpatient drug patient, and will file a
7 motion to review the detention order if defendant's application is accepted.

8 3. Taken as a whole, the record does not effectively rebut the presumption that no
9 condition or combination of conditions will reasonably assure the appearance of the defendant as
10 required and the safety of the community.

11 It is therefore ORDERED:

- 12 1. Defendant shall be detained pending trial and committed to the custody of the Attorney
13 General for confinement in a correction facility separate, to the extent practicable, from
14 persons awaiting or serving sentences or being held in custody pending appeal;
- 15 2. Defendant shall be afforded reasonable opportunity for private consultation with counsel;
- 16 3. On order of the United States or on request of an attorney for the Government, the person
17 in charge of the corrections facility in which defendant is confined shall deliver the
18 defendant to a United States Marshal for the purpose of an appearance in connection with
19 a court proceeding; and

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4. The Clerk shall direct copies of this Order to counsel for the United States, to counsel for the defendant, to the United States Marshal, and to the United State Pretrial Services Officer.

DATED this 4th day of May, 2015.

Mary Alice Theiler
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United States Magistrate Judge